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## CANDIDATE'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

All announcements under this heading are subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the August primary election.

**For Building Judge of the County Court:**  
**JOSEPH E. RICE,**  
of Liberty Township.  
**For County Collector:**  
**JOHN SCOTT**  
of Johnson Township.  
**For County Clerk:**  
**J. D. DECLUE,**  
of Potosi.

**Announcement for—For Collector, County Clerk, Circuit Clerk, Prosecuting Attorney, \$7.50; other county officers, \$5.00; township officers, \$4.00; write-ups in connection with announcement, 50¢ per line; cash in advance.**

**For City Offices—Spring Election.**  
**For Mayor,**  
**FRANK GROOM.**

## Anti-Saloon League is Organizing For Law Enforcement.

The Missouri Anti-Saloon League is arranging a series of meetings throughout the state for the purpose of launching a state-wide law enforcement campaign. For this purpose the state has been divided into 21 districts. These districts are now being organized. Plans are under way to have speakers of national reputation attend the district meetings. This district will include St. Francis, Madison, Iron, Washington and Ste. Genevieve counties. The meeting for this district will be held at Flat River on Tuesday, March 7th. The speaker will be Hon. John F. Kramer, formerly U. S. Prohibition Commissioner.

A meeting for the purpose of organizing the district preliminary to the meeting to be held at Flat River on March 7th, was held at that place on February 19th, where plans were formulated for getting a representative delegation of men interested in law enforcement from each county in the district to attend the coming meeting. To this end, committees were appointed with representatives in each county. The various committees in this county are as follows:

**Publicity Committee—Burwell Fox, Potosi; Poster Committee—Rev. J. N. Sutton, Irondale; and Rev. R. W. Simonton, Potosi; Telephone Committee—J. B. Robinson, Irondale, and W. D. Humphrey, Potosi.**

## Caledonia.

L. L. Bean recently purchased W. A. Shelton's house and lot here. Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Coghill and Mrs. Hattie Adams returned to Farmington last Friday, after a week's stay here.

The play, "Brookdale Farm," given by the Freshmen Class in the college auditorium last Tuesday evening was a decided success. The net proceeds were about \$35, which will be used in improving the school room.

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Duckworth entertained a number of their friends one evening last week, with music and dancing.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Riefler, last week, a boy.

A large number of our citizens are attending court in Potosi this week. Those on the sick list this week are E. M. Raines and Mrs. Ben Sinclair.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans of Ironton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Ramsey one day last week.

Some early gardening has already been done in this neighborhood.

Chas. McNeill is making fine progress on the new addition to his house, has it about ready for the shingles now.

## Peoria.

Our school closed last Friday with a basketball game between our school and the Peoria team. The latter was defeated, score, 16-4.

Some plowing for oats is being done here.

Mrs. W. R. Horton has been quite sick, but is improving.

J. G. McMurry and E. A. Duty motored to Potosi Sunday.

Mr. W. F. McMurry is reported on the sick list.

A meeting was held at the Horton school house last Friday to discuss the question of a consolidated district high school, which is receiving considerable agitation in the several contiguous school districts of this locality.

Mr. W. A. Gelforth has returned home from the hospital at Potosi, where he had undergone an operation.

**Quaker.**

Quite a lot of sickness in our community at present.

Miss Alice Martin visited relatives at Sunlight last week.

A number of our young folks attended the school entertainment at Sunlight one evening last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Martin, Feb. 19, a girl. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Miss Corlie McClure has returned home after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Mary Campbell, of St. Louis.

## CONFESSES BIRCHALL MURDER.

According to the Farmington News, a new face has been given the case of the murder of James Birchall by two highwaymen in St. Francois County, near Irondale, on the night of December 10, last, by the confession of one Walter Boatright, of Iron Mountain, made to Prosecuting Attorney Coffey at Farmington on Feb. 16.

Two young men, Hubert Turley and Edward Porrier, have been under arrest and in jail at Farmington since shortly after the murder of Birchall, charged with the crime, although they protested their innocence of it. The attorneys for Turley and Porrier, and Prosecuting Attorney Coffey as well, had received a tip that Boatright knew who killed Birchall. Boatright was brought before the grand jury which was investigating the murder, but his evidence before that body gave no light on the crime that helped the men under arrest. However, one of the attorneys for the prisoners as well as Dr. Turley, father of young Turley, were convinced from Boatright's evasive answers, that he had not told the grand jury what he really knew of the murder, so they went to Boatright's home on Feb. 16 and pleaded with the latter to "come clean" with all he knew about the tragedy, which he finally agreed to do, and accompanied them back to that having passed the wagon in which Farmington for that purpose.

Boatright's confession is to the effect that the killing of Birchall was done by Frank Powell and Jess Pitts, whom he had taken in his car on the evening of the shooting from Iron Mountain to the scene of the tragedy; James Birchall and the latter's father were driving home from a peddling trip, he had stopped his car to pump up a leaky tire. Powell and Pitts, he said, got out of the car and ran back on the road in the direction from which the Birchalls were approaching, and a few moments later he heard a fusillade of twelve or fifteen shots in that direction. Shortly afterwards, Boatright says, Powell came back to the car and inquired for Pitts, expressing the fear that Pitts might have been hit during the shooting. Powell himself was bleeding from a wound in the right wrist. Powell said he had also been shot through the muscles of the right arm. As Boatright says he took Powell back to Iron Mountain, and that on the way Powell told him that he thought one of the men in the wagon had been killed. The next day Boatright says he saw Powell and Pitts together in Iron Mountain and was urged by them to keep quiet about the affair, both admitting to him that they had shot and killed Birchall. Who had begun shooting at Powell and Pitts when they attempted the hold-up of the men in the wagon.

As the result of Boatright's confession, warrants were at once issued for the arrest of Powell and Pitts. The former is now in jail at Farmington, but the latter had not been apprehended at last reports. Powell has been in the penitentiary twice, once for robbery and the last time for killing a foreigner over at the mines. He had only recently been paroled from the penitentiary. Turley and Porrier have not yet been released from custody, but will probably not be held much longer.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John A. Forshaw.....Bonnie Terrell.  
Viola A. Thomas.....Flat River.

## METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9:15.

Teaching by the pastor at 10:45 and 1:30.

Epworth League at 5:15.

W. D. Humphrey, Pastor.

## 480 Chevrolet car \$225 factory.

A. H. Carr, Potosi.

The old home paper for \$1.50.

## NOTICE OF SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Potosi School District No. 37, in Township Thirty-seven (37), Range Two (2) East, County of Washington, State of Missouri, that conformity with and in obedience to an order of the Board of Education of said District duly made according to law, a special school election will be held at Potosi and in the Court House in said District, the usual place of holding such elections in said school district, on THURSDAY, the 21st day of MARCH, A. D., 1922, commencing at seven o'clock, a. m., for the following special purposes, to-wit:—It having been deemed necessary by said Board of Education to enlarge the present school building of said district by adding thereto four additional new rooms, furnishing and heating the same, and re-covering the entire building with a fire-proof roof, and it being necessary to borrow money to build and said school building and furnish same, and issue bonds for the payment thereof, said proposition is hereby by order of said Board of Education submitted to the qualified voters of said District.

The qualified voters, voting at said election shall vote by ballot.

Those voting for loan shall have written or printed on their ticket, "For the Loan."

Those voting against the loan shall have written or printed on their ticket, "Against the Loan."

The amount of loan required for the erection of said rooms, furnishing and heating same, and covering entire building with fire proof roof, is Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000) Dollars, and should said proposition carry, said school rooms will be erected on the present school house site in said District, and used in connection with the school building now in use in said District, and bonds issued for the payment of said debt, according to law.

Done by order of the Board of Education at its regular meeting February 24, 1922.

**JOHN MACLAY,**  
President of the Board of Education.

**J. W. SETTLE,**  
Clerk of the Board of Education.  
Potosi School District No. 37,  
Potosi, Mo., February 24, 1922.

At the international meeting of the American Chemical society recently held in New York, startling predictions were made of new achievements to be made in the domains of physics and chemistry. The discoveries will be so important, it was declared, that they will open up a new era, in which the light and heat of the sun, the tides, the rotation of the earth and even atomic energy will be transmuted to an extent undreamed of hitherto. More specifically, results predicted include the use of the atom as a source of power, the discovery of a cold light, with attendant great economy; more efficient methods employed in chemistry, whereby retortery substances will be made to yield useful products. Formerly such proposition would have created a sensation. They do not now. It is the age of discovery and invention.

Perhaps the professor who guessed there are 50,000 surplus apartments in New York city has some ground for his contention that his guess is not so far from the mark as a prediction of some of the other things.

## W. D. DeLoe's Medicine

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